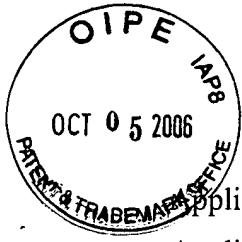


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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 5, 2006, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.